

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO						
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)						
Complete if Known						
Application 10/781,487						
Filing Date 02/18/04						
First Named James G. Archuleta, Jr.						
Art Unit 3671						
Examiner Name C. Novosad						
Attorney Docket 0068 03						
Sheet _____ of _____						
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² # known	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear FILED DATE	
AA CJN		5,456,028	10/10/99	Larson		
AJG		6,490,815 B1	12/10/02	Pratt	02/01/09	
AJG		US2003/0167661 A1	09/11/03	Larson	03/06/02	
AJG		6,408,551 B1	06/28/02	Pettersson	07/01/99	
AJG CJN		4,845,867	07/11/89	Albrecht		
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials *	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ Number Kind Code ³	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T *
Examiner Signature	C. Novosad			Date Considered	08/23/04	

***EXAMINER:** Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 801.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Best Available Copy